IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF WEST VIRGINIA

CHARLESTON DIVISION

IN RE: C. R. BARD, INC.,

PELVIC REPAIR SYSTEMS

PRODUCTS LIABILITY LITIGATION

MDL NO. 2187

THIS DOCUMENT RELATES TO:

Fritz v. Ethicon, Inc., et al.

Civil Action No. 2:13-cv-08475

**ORDER** 

(Dismissing Defendant C. R. Bard, Inc. with Prejudice and Transferring Case to MDL 2327)

On May 25, 2016 the plaintiff and defendant C. R. Bard, Inc. ("Bard") filed a Joint Motion to Dismiss Defendant C. R. Bard, Inc. with Prejudice [ECF No. 10]. In the joint motion, the parties are seeking dismissal of Bard as a defendant in this action with prejudice because all claims against Bard have been compromised and settled, including all claims, counterclaims, cross-claims and third party claims. Also pending is Plaintiff's Motion to Transfer MDLs for this case [ECF No. 10]. After careful consideration, it is **ORDERED** that the Joint Motion to Dismiss Bard with Prejudice is **GRANTED**. It is further **ORDERED** that the **MOTION TO TRANSFER**MDLs is **GRANTED**. Defendant Bard is **DISMISSED WITH PREJUDICE** as a defendant in this action and this action is **TRANSFERRED** to MDL 2327. The Clerk is directed to disassociate the civil action as member case in MDL 2187 and reassociate it with MDL 2327.

The Clerk is directed to send a copy of this Order to counsel of record and any

unrepresented party.

ENTER: June 20, 2016

JOSEPH R. GOODWIN UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE